MR. SPEAKER : The hon. Member's adjournment motion does not exist now. It has been ruled out of order today. After hearing the Hon. Minister's statement, if the hon. Member gives notice of a fresh motion, I shall consider it on its merits.

IV.—ANNOUNCEMENTS.

(1) ALLOTMENT OF SEATS TO HON. MEMBERS.

MR. SPEAKER : According to rule 61 of the Madras Assembly Rules, hon. Members have to sit in the seats allotted to them by me. But, here, it is not possible to allot seats. So, Members may sit anywhere they like. Of course, the usual convention of the ruling party on the right and the Opposition on the left will have to be followed. In case there is a division, Members' names will be called by the Secretary and then those who are present may stand up in their seats and express their preference as to how they want to vote.

(2) PANEL OF CHAIRMEN.

MR. SPEAKER : Under Rule 14 (1) of the Madras Assembly Rules, I nominate the following hon. Members to be the Panel of Chairmen for the current session :—

1. Sri J. Matha Gowder.
2. Sri V. K. Krishnamurthy.
3. Sri A. R. Marimuthu.
4. Sri B. Doraisami Reddiar.

(3) NOMINATION OF MEMBERS TO THE BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

MR. SPEAKER : Under rule 188 (1) of the Assembly Rules, I hereby nominate the following to be members of the Business Advisory Committee :—

1. Sri B. Bhakthavatsalu Naidu (Deputy Speaker).
2. The Hon. Sri C. Subramaniam.
3. The Hon. Sri M. Bhaktavatsalam.
4. Sri P. G. Karuthiruman.
5. Sri V. K. Ramaswamy Mudaliyar.
6. Sri C. N. Annadurai.
7. Sri M. Kalyanasundaram.
8. Sri P. S. Chinnadurai.
9. Sri S. Pakkirisami Pillai.
10. Sri K. Sattanatha Karayalar.

The Speaker is the ex-officio Chairman of the Committee.